REGISTERED NURSE III

Medical Surgical

LAC+USC Healthcare Network has an opportunity for experienced Medical Surgical nurses.

LAC+USC Healthcare Network's Medical Surgical has a position available for a proficient Medical Surgical (MS) nurse who has vast clinical knowledge and skills in caring for medical surgical patients. Additionally, an innovative and enthusiastic MS nurse who has teaching and preceptorship experience with novice nurses is desired.

The candidate must have consistently demonstrated leadership and teaching skills, including effective communication and the ability to work efficiently with the nursing and interdisciplinary team which is evident by development, implementation and evaluation of projects, initiatives and unit-based team activities.

Responsibilities:

- Assist in educating the Medical Surgical units, which includes but not limited to:
 - Coordinating/scheduling educational classes
 - o Teaching didactic and hands-on classes
 - o Conducting a one-on-one unit-based follow-up with MS nurses
 - Collaborating with the nurses' Nurse Manager and/or Clinical Nursing Director
- Demonstrates roles and performance of duties outlined in the RN III classification
 - Provide direct/indirect nursing care
- Communicates collaboratively with patients, families, the interdisciplinary team and other nursing staff to ensure the highest quality of care, patient safety and customer satisfaction

Desirable Qualifications:

- 2-3 years of full time experience at the level of an RN II
- 1-2 years of teaching experience, including preceptorship of new nursing employee
- Proficient clinical skills and knowledge in caring for patients on a Medical Surgical unit.
- Has served as a clinical resource nurse and preceptor to existing and new nursing employees.
- Has initiated, implemented and evaluated a unit-based project/s.
- Has taught, coached, and mentored novice and competent nurses.
- Advanced education or is currently pursuing educational advancement.

Interested applicants should submit a letter of interest, resume, references, performance evaluations and attendance records for the last two years to:

The Nurse Recruitment and Retention Center Inpatient Tower – Room C2C112
1200 North State Street, LA, CA 90033

Phone: (323) 409-4664 Fax: (323) 441-8039 EOE Posted 03/23/2016

Candidates must currently be a permanent County of Los Angeles employee who hold the payroll title of Registered Nurse III to be considered for a lateral transfer or reachable on the DHS Certification List to be considered as a new-hire. Resumes will be accepted until the needs of the department are met.